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Applicant : Shuici Kikuchi et al. Art Unit : 2811
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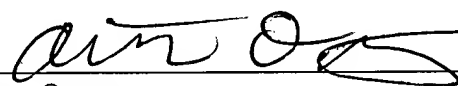
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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated March 13, 2003, be extended for two months to and including August 13, 2003.

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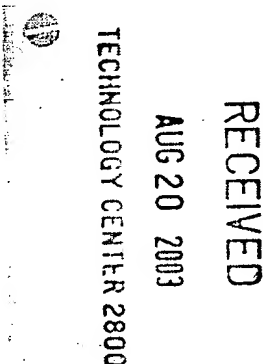
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